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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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In re Application

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Title: METHOD FOR COMMON MANAGEMENT

MODEL FOR DISTRIBUTED SERVER

NETWORK

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Signature Date: August 10, 2004

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Sir:

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 Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts Filing Date Granted
 Declaration for Patent Application
 Assignment and Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet
Power of Attorney

	Petition for an Extension of Time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts
	Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.56
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Small Entity Sta	<u>atement</u>
A	pplicant(s) qualify for small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

Patent Application Filing Fee

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For	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate Small Entity/Other Than Small Entity		Total
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))				\$385.00 \$770.00	\$
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	20	*	X X	\$ 9.00 \$ 18.00	\$
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Respectfully submitted,

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